



## Argentina

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In 2012-2013, 4,549 U.S. students studied abroad for academic credit in Argentina.

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### **Education System Overview:**

- **Academic year:** March – December
- **Major school holidays/break:**
  - December – March
  - Dia de la Memoria: March 24 – 25
  - Veteran's Day: April 2
  - Labor Day: May 1
  - Primer Gobierno Patrio: May 25
  - National Flag Day: June 20
  - Independence Day: July 9
  - Dia del Libertador: August 17
  - Immaculate Conception Day: December 8

### **Structure of the university system:**

- **Years of study required to earn a bachelor's degree:** 5 + years
- **The language of instruction in universities:** Spanish
- **Years of required English instruction in universities:** none

### **Resources:**

Organization: Argentine Ministry of Education

Website: [www.me.gov.ar](http://www.me.gov.ar)

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Email: [info@me.gov.ar](mailto:info@me.gov.ar)

Organization: BEC.AR National Government Scholarships for Graduate Programs in STEM

Website: <http://bec.ar>



### **Know before You Go**

- [How to Apply for your U.S. Passport](#)
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- [Country Specific Travel Information](#)

### **U.S. Government-Sponsored Study and Exchange Programs**

- [Fulbright English Teaching Assistant Program](#)
- [Fulbright U.S. Student Program](#)
- [Gilman International Scholarship](#)
- [Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program](#)